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BOSTON, May 7.

Extract of a Letter from a Gentleman at Halifax, Nova-Scotia, to his Friend in Boston, dated April 12, 1750.

IN my last, you had an Account of the Expedition intended against the French and Indians at Chegnecto: Since which, on Thursday last, Maj. Lawrence with a Party of a Hundred and Fifty Gentlemen Volunteers and Soldiers, were transported to Sackville Fort at the Head of the Basin; from whence they cross'd the Country to Minas, and are to be join'd by Capt. Rous in the Albany, attended with several armed Vessels: The Major will command about four Hundred Men on this Occasion, exclusive of those in the Sloops, who are to act on Board or ashore as the Service may require: The Forces are (it is said) to be landed on the North Side of Minas Bay, and are to proceed by Land to Chegnecto: The principal Officers with him are Capt. St. Loe, Capt. Bartelo, who commands all the Rangers, Capt. Scott, Capt. Clapham, Lieutenants Gorham, Pateshall, Winslow, Warmaugh, Arbathnot, Mr. Mitchel, and some other Officers of Col. Warburton's, and Gentlemen on the half Pay List, whose Names I do not recollect. The French Inhabitants, except a small Number, seem determin'd to leave the Province rather than to take the Oaths to His Majesty; and it is come nearly to a Crisis that must determine the Point with them: It is probable that the French Missionaries, as well as the principal Officers at Canada and Cape Breton, have encouraged a Defection of this Kind, as they find the British Ministry resolv'd to protect and secure so valuable a Country. Altho' the Bigotry of these Nova Scotians alone is almost a sufficient Motive to carry them from a Place where their Religion has not the chief Countenance and Protection of the Civil Government. If they actually leave us, their Improvements are so considerable as to make a Number of fine Settlements for those who succeed them: But how they are (in that Case) to be disposed of, it is not very easy to determine; but as his Excellency Governor Cornwallis has always discovered Capacity of turning every Occurrence to a good Account, his superior Genius will undoubtedly improve this for the public Advantage, and to the Satisfaction of those who observe the happy Effects of his prudent Administration.

Every Thing goes on with great Dispatch; and whilst the closest Application is made in civil Concerns, Religion is not unthought of; we shall soon have a large Church erected on the Parade, and for the Encouragement of Protestant Dissenters, a handsome Lot is laid out for a Meeting House, and another for a Minister, in a very pleasant Situation; And next to these, if not more nearly related, a commodious Hospital is built for the Reception of the sick and diseas'd, and a House for the Education of Orphans and deserted young Children. The Cod Fish are not so plenty this Spring on the Banks, as usual, which is imputed to the great Quantities of Ice that have been driven on them from the Gulf of St. Lawrence. We have no Advice yet of Capt. Rous's Arrival at Minas: He has been out 11 Days, during Part of which Time, it has been pretty close foggy Weather at Sea.

Newport, Rhode-Island, May 4. Wednesday last being the Anniversary Day for the Choice of General Officers for the Year ensuing, the Hon. William Greene, Esq; was elected Governor, and the Hon. Robert Hazard, Esq; Deputy Governor.

Boston, May 7. Yesterday a Vessel arrived here in 4 Days from Halifax, by which we have Letters informing, that the armed Vessels and Troops sent to drive the French and Indians from their Post at Chegnecto, had appeared there, and that upon their Approach, the French set Fire to all their Houses and Churches, and retired to a Village at some Distance, where they posted themselves, and set our People at Defiance. 'Tis said they were about a Thou-

sand strong, and had Orders from the Governor of Canada, not to quit the Place while they had a Man left. That our People not being strong enough to attack them, were gone to Minas, there to wait for further Orders, and a Reinforcement of Men.

Paris, Jan. 5. As we have been informed that the Art of Ship-building has, of late, been brought to great Perfection in the King of Prussia's Maritime Provinces, particularly at Stettin, the Court has given Commission for building two Frigates at that Port, which are to be brought home to us sometime in the Spring; and, if they answer our Expectation, we shall bespeak a few more.

London, Feb. 16. It is reported at Paris, that Orders are given for nine Battalions of French Troops to go to Corsica, and that the Court of Spain is to send the same Number into that Island. These Troops, we presume, are to preserve the Liberty for which the Corsicans have so many Years been struggling.

London, March 5. Yesterday a great Number of Gentlemen, who interest themselves in the happy Success of the British White Herring and Cod Fisheries, met at the King's Arms Tavern in Exchange-Alley; when an honorary Engagement, for the Sum of 240,000 l. was entered into, towards the carrying on that laudable Undertaking.

The Rainbow Man of War, lying at Woolwich, commanded by the Hon. George Bridges Rodney, Esq; is ordered to be victualled and mann'd forthwith, in order to sail for St. John's in Newfoundland where she is station'd for three Years.

They write from Frankfort, that the young Count of Isenbourg Bidinguen has issued an Ordinance by which he revokes the Permission which the late Count, his Father, had granted the Herrenhutters, or Moravian Brethren, to establish themselves in the Place called Herrenbagg; but three Years are allowed them to retire in, that they may not be obliged to leave their Affairs in Confusion.

Mr. Timothy,

June 1st, 1750.

I HAVE enquired the Price of good merchantable Flour, and find it to be at 5 l. 10 s. per Cent., I am Yours, &c.

JOHN DART, Commissary-General.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE Members of the CHARLES-TOWN LIBRARY SOCIETY, are desired to meet at the house of Mr. Thomas Blythe, on wednesday the 11th day of July next, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon; where attendance will be given from 2 o'clock the same afternoon, for receiving the arrears of the weekly contributions.

By order of the President,

JOHN REMINGTON, Secretary.

YOUNG Ladies and Gentlemen that choose to be taught the art of DANCING at their own houses; may be attended, and instructed after an easy method, by

Their very humble Servant,

NICHOLAS SCANLAN.

To be Sold by THOMAS BOLTON on the bay, lime juice, Madeira wine, melasses, 1/2 lb of May salt, old rum, brandy, bohea tea, London refined sugar, black pepper and spices, rum from 17 s. 6 to 27 s. 6 per gallon.

ON tuesday the 3d day of July next, will be held, at the house of Mr. Elisha Paine in Charles-town, a quarterly meeting of the SOUTH CAROLINA SOCIETY, where the members are desired to attend precisely at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

By Order of the Society,

SAMUEL PRIOLEAU, jun Clerk.

ON Saturday night the 9th of June 1750, two white men went down my bridge in *Charles-Town*, broke the lock of my canow, that was chained to the slip, stole and carried her away, and were met the next morning in her, with sundry goods (supposed to be stolen likewise) going thro' *Wappoo Cut* southwards (perhaps to *Georgia*;) She is a split canow, low, full and flat, about 18 or 20 feet long, and above 3 feet wide, rows with four oars, has a cut a stern for sculling, is very strong made, and well timbered with live-oak; her sides are *Spanish cedar*; the bottom plank, head, and stern, cypress; and is branded inside and outside, in several places of her TLAMBOL in large capital letters. I will pay *Forty Shillings* to whomsoever shall bring me the canow, and *Twenty Pounds* a piece, for apprehending and bringing to justice, in *Charles-Town* aforesaid, the two robbers, upon conviction of the said crime.

THOMAS LAMBOLL.

Whereas several of the subscriber's principal creditors have agreed to accept of an assignment of his estate real and personal: And Whereas he is determined (if he is permitted by his creditors) to go off the province: In order to give them all the satisfaction in his power, he requests all his creditors in general to meet at Mr. *Blythe's* in *Charles-Town* on Tuesday the 20th day of this instant *June*, in order to see a state of the subscriber's affairs, and to appoint any one or more, as they think proper, to receive the said assignment, and manage for the benefit of the whole; at which time he will be ready to declare, on oath, that the state of his affairs then to be produced, is a just and true one, and contains an account of all the book-debts, notes, bonds, and every thing else due to him, and the whole real and personal estate which he is any ways interested in, or intitled unto

Joseph Skute.

To be Sold, a valuable negro wench, well known by the name of Mrs. *Butler's ROSE*, with her daughter *Priss* brought up to the needle. Enquire of

Samuel Perkins.

RUN AWAY from the said *Perkins*, about 3 months ago, a short negro fellow named *Prince*, bought at col. *Vanderdussen's* sale, and formerly belonging to Mr. *Snow* at *Gosse-Creek*, whereabout he is supposed to be harboured, has a blemish in one eye, and wore when he went away, blue jacket and breeches. Whoever brings him to his said master, shall have a reward of 3 l. And whoever can prove his having been harboured, entertain'd or employ'd, shall, on conviction of the offender, receive 10 l. reward from the said

Samuel Perkins.

Who has several new and second hand CHAIRS and harness to sell cheap, for ready money.

Taken up near the sea-bay, a cyprus canow, 24 feet long, 3 feet and an half wide upon the thwart. The owner may have her again, applying to Mr. *William Gien*, who has the particular description of her.

SOUTH-CAROLINA. WHEREAS *Nathaniel Nichols*, of the said Province, hath exhibited his Petition to the Chief Justice and Justices of the Court of Common Pleas, setting forth, that he is in the Custody of the Provost-Marshal of this Province, upon a *Capias ad Satisfaciendum*, at the Suit of *Frederick Merckley & Thomas Shute*, for a Debt by them sued for, and that he is ready and willing to make Surrender, upon Oath, to one or more of his Creditors, in Trust for the Rest, all and singular his Estate, both real and personal, a List or Schedule thereof being annexed to his said Petition, and prays to be admitted to the Benefit of the Acts of the General Assembly in such Case made and provided. It is therefore ORDERED, and the said *Frederick Merckley & Thomas Shute*, and all others to whom the said Petitioner is in any wise indebted, are hereby summoned, and have Notice to appear at the usual Place of Judicature in *Charles-Town*, at the Meeting of the Court of Common Pleas which shall happen next after *Thirty Days* from the Publication hereof, to shew Cause, if any they can, why the said Petitioner should not have the Prayer of his Petition granted. June 11th, 1750.

JAMES WEDDERBURN, C.C.P.

Strap'd off *Charles-Town* green, a brown bay horse, about 13 hands and an half high, with a star in his forehead, and branded on the mounting shoulder HM in one. Whoever brings him to me, shall have 3 l. reward.

William Burrows.

To be Sold to the highest bidder on the 3d day of July next, in *Charles-Town*, a parcel of indian dress'd deer skins and some beaver skins: Also, the same day, at the *Congaree*, a head of pack-horses and mares with their tackling, belonging to the estate of *John Gunrod* late indian trader to the *Cherokees*, for ready money

Robert Goudy, Administrator.

Just imported in the sloop *Carolina*, *John Schermerhorn* master, from *New-York*, flour, milk and butter bisket, tobacco, all sorts of garden seeds, white wine vinegar, to be sold in the house of Mr. *Benjamin & Harriette* in *Union-street*, by

CATHARINE SMART.

ALL persons indebted to *Simmons & Roche*, are desired to take notice, that if they don't pay or otherwise satisfy the said *Simmons & Roche* for the same, on or before the first day of July next, they will be then sued without further notice by

William Burrows.

To be Sold by the subscriber in *Charles-Town*, a corner lot of land in *Guignard-street*, opposite to Capt. *Thomas Walker*, with a new brick two story house and a good cellar, the house has six rooms and all private. Any person inclinable to purchase, may treat with

Edward Richardson.

Just imported, and to be sold very reasonable by the subscriber, at his store at the corner of *Elliot-street*, on the bay, opposite Mr. *John Watson's*, mens and boys fustian frocks, everlasting breeches, a good assortment of thread, cotton, silk and worsted stockings, worsted and silk patterns for breeches and mens waistcoats, pavillion gauze, womens, mens and childrens shoes, *Leghorn* and masquerade hats, mens and boys fine castor and felt hats, ladies shades, head lace, crow colour'd silks, white and blue satins, cambricks, lawns, muslins, gulix, tandem, brown, and strip'd holland, Irish and check'd linnens, fustians, single and double allapine, tammies, romalls, linnen and silk handkerchiefs, a good assortment of printed linnens, chints, *English* and *India* callicoes, table linnen, clouting diaper, oznaburgs, brown rolls, *Raffia* linnen, 7 8th and 3 4th garlix, matrasles, bed and bolster ticks, starch, single and double refin'd sugar, sugar candy, spices, pitching axes, shot, bar lead, rat traps, tea kettles, *China* and *Delph* ware, nails, saws, umbrelloes, hair brooms, slates, cordage, sail cloth, allum and copperas, and sundry other goods. *Christopher Gadsden*.

All persons who have any demands on the estate of *Edmond Robison* late of *George-Town*, merchant, are desired to send in their accompts properly attested to,

Dougal Campbell, Administrator.

All persons who have any demands on the estate of *Alexander Brown* late of *George-Town* deceased, are desired to send in their accompts properly attested to

Mary Brown, Administratrix.

Dougal Campbell, Administrator.

To be Let, a large Brick-House, 60 feet long, 2 stories high, containing 3 rooms upon a floor, above and below, a large garden with some fruit trees in it, and some out-houses belonging to it, at *Shem Town*, *Juley River-Ferry*. Enquire of the rev. Mr. *Guy* at said ferry, or *John McCall* in *Charles-Town*. The subscriber will give two shillings and six pence a piece for the bodies of RATTLE SNAKES skinned and dried, provided one or more rattles be left on to distinguish them from other snakes: Bring them to my store on the bay the corner of *Tradd-street*.

Joseph Hatton.

To be Sold for ready money at public vendue, on Tuesday the 10th of July next, by the executors, at the plantation of *Benjamin Williamsen* deceased, at *Stono*, a parcel of choice slaves, cattle, hogs and sheep, being part of the estate of the said deceased. The property not to be alter'd, 'till the purchase money is paid.

May 5th 1750. Sent to me by Capt. *John Harrison*, a young roan gelding, branded on the mounting shoulder SW, the near hind foot white, with a star in his forehead. The owner may have him, by applying to me

Francis Lejan.

A very good Chair and Horse, to be sold; and a good Lot of Land on the bay, with a chair-house and stable thereon, to be lett. Enquire of the Printer.

BROUGHT to the Work-House.

A run-away negro fellow belonging to Mr. *Gray*.

TO BE SOLD at public Vendue, on *Wednesday* the 27th Instant,

At the usual Place in *Charles-Town*,

For Credit 'till the first Day of March next, paying Interest, and giving good Security if required.

A PARCEL of choice men, women and children slaves, amongst which are, a good sail-maker, and blacksmith, and several valuable house-wenchs that can cook, wash, iron, &c.

ALSO, a valuable town-lot, fronting on *Church-Street* (opposite Mr. *Blythe's*) 83 feet and an half, and on *Bread-Street* (opposite Mr. *Benjamin Smith's* new house) 65 feet and one third, or more, with several buildings thereon.

PART of a lot in *Elliott-street* near the bay, with several brick buildings thereon, very convenient for trade, now occupied by Mr. *John Jenkins*.

AND a lot on *Rhett's* (commonly called *Trott's point*) bounded on the north and south by 2 streets, 70 feet front in each, and 150 feet deep, with a well improved garden, now under a good new fence, and has several sorts of trees, &c.

AT the same time, and on the same terms, will be sold, a plantation on *Hobcaw-neck*, pleasantly situated in sight of *Charles-Town*, fronting bluff on the ferry creek, well stocked with very good timber for sawing, now occupied by Mr. *William Bissett*. The several titles, &c. may be seen with

John Mackenzie.

Two and an half per cent. discount will be allow'd for prompt pay.

AS I propose to leave the province in a little time, I will for ready cash, sell off my stock at very low prices, at my store in *Church-street*, consisting of a choice parcel of womens and children stays, mens double channel'd and shoe boots, double and single channel'd pumps, mens and boys turn'd pumps and shoes, womens turn'd leather pumps, plantation, carpenter, and coopers tools, shoemakers tools in sets, great variety of locks, snecks, hinges, nails, saw files, bed screws, brass furniture, brass and iron candlesticks, and snuffers, laquer'd sconces, cork screws, gun hammers, thimbles, mettall and glass sleeve buttons and studs, ordinary stone rings, steel and *Pinchbeck* watch chains and seals, snuff boxes, barbers wifes and curling irons, frying pans, iron pots, box irons and heaters, tinder boxes, fire steels, gilt, silver'd, plated, and mettall buttons, a few cases of neat silver handle knives and forks, flag, buck, bone, horn and wood ditto, flag pruning knives, cuttoes, ditto ordinary, buck and spotted-horn spring knives, six and four bladed knives, four and two blade flor knives and forks, variety of pen knives, razors, fleams, lancets, taylor and gardeners shears, steel spurs, some sadlery wares, hand bellows, a smith's vife, iron and brass wire, ivory and horn combs, brazier, tiner and pewterer's ware, cartouch boxes, powder, shot, and flints, guns, knives, hatchets, buttons, &c. for the *Indian* trade, a good assortment of brushes, flint glass ware, green tea, salt petre, black pepper, starch, check'd shirts, 3 4th and 7 8th checks, sundry sorts of linnen, strip'd holland, bed ticken, cotton and worsted stockings, strip'd, flowered and clear lawns, handkerchiefs, mens and womens glazed kid gloves, threads, pins, laces, tapes, quality binding and gartering, mens leather breeches, wool hats and caps, mens velvet hunting caps, ink powder, bed cords, corks, shalloons, blew green and white negro cloth, duffel blankets, a few barrels of good *Philadelphia* beer, a few hogheads of *Barbades* rum, strong beer in bottles, fower ale exceeding good for pickles or any use instead of vinegar. N.B. I will take indico or any sort of produce in payment.

Joseph Ward.

Just imported in the Chatty, William Reed master, from *Poole*, 7 8th garlix, fine 7 8th *Hamburg* checks and stripes, oznaburgs, cordage, sail duck, sail and seine twine, painted boxes, flasks, *Dorchester* beer in bottles, hair sieves, mens fine hats, short and long pipes, lampblack, with sundry other goods, which will be sold very reasonable by *Thomas Bonny* on *Elliott's* wharf.

THE partnership betwixt *Oliphant & Mackie* being expired, all persons indebted to them, or either of them, by bond, note or book debt, are desired to discharge the same on or before the first of *August* next, that their creditors may be satisfied; otherwise they'll be under the necessity of putting all their outstanding debts into the hands of an attorney at law, without further notice.

TO BE SOLD at public Vendue, at *Joseph Shute's* new House on the Bay,

On Thursday the 28th Instant,

For Credit till the first of March next, paying Interest and giving satisfactory Security.

THE said house with several very good and convenient back buildings; a low-water lot fronting the said house, partly improved. One half of *Shute's Delight* (otherwise called *Shute's Folly*.) A lease of several years to come, of some houses near the *Market-Square*, from *Joseph Blake*, Esq. Several valuable negroes, a pettiangua, and all his household furniture, seized on execution, by

RAWLINS LOWNDES, Provost-Marshal.

To be Sold to the highest bidder, for any credit (if desired) on the 27th instant, at the *Vendue-House*, the plantation in *Goose-Creek* parish, called *Fort-bill*, adjoining Mrs. *Wood's* and *Flood's*, containing 600 acres, 40 acres whereof is good dry marsh; there is about 150 cleared, which is good corn and rice land: 'Tis well known for a pleasant healthy place. And 210 acres of land in *St. Thomas's* parish, adjoining Mrs. *Moore's*, inferior to none for rice, corn, or indico.

To be Sold by the executors of John Allston deceased, a tract of land situate between *Peder* and *Waccamaw* rivers, containing 428 acres, 128 of which is high land, the rest all fine tide land, equal in goodness to any in this province, and about 20 miles from *George-Town*, with fine cypres on the same, and a fine bold creek on which any schooner may go to the barn door. Also 700 acres of pine land, situate on a branch of *Waccamaw* river called *Saucepates*: Also one other tract of 551 acres, part of which is good inland swamp, and near a good landing, distant about 30 miles from *George-Town*. Any person inclined to purchase any of the above mentioned tracts, may agree with

John Allston, Josias Allston Executors.

SOUTH-CAROLINA. WHEREAS

Samuel Dunlop, of the said Province, hath exhibited his Petition to the Chief Justice and Justices of the Court of Common Pleas, setting forth, that he is in the Custody of the Provost-Marshal of this Province, upon a Writ of Attachment for a Contempt, and that he is ready and willing to make Surrender, upon Oath, to any one or more of his Creditors, in Trust for the Rest, all and singular his Estate, both real and personal, a List or Schedule of his Estate being annex'd to his said Petition, and prays to be admitted to the Benefit of the Acts of the General Assembly of this Province in that Case made and provided. It is therefore Ordered, and all Persons to whom the said Petitioner is in any ways indebted, are hereby summoned, and have Notice to appear at the usual Place of Judicature in *Charles-Town*, at the Court of Common Pleas which shall happen Thirty Days next after Publication hereof, to shew Cause, if any they can, why the said Petitioner should not have the Prayer of his Petition granted. June 4th, 1750. J. WEDDERBURN, C.L.P.

ALL persons to whom the estate of Mr. *John Bruce* deceased, is any ways indebted, are desired to bring in their accompts attested, that they may be paid; and those who are indebted to the said estate, are desired to make speedy payment, to

Robert Brewster, Administrator.